

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Takeshi Fujita, *et al.*  
Serial No. : 09/806,545  
Filed : June 18, 2001  
For : COMPUTER-READABLE RECORD MEDIUM ON WHICH IMAGE  
FILE IS RECORDED, DEVICE FOR PRODUCING THE RECORDED  
MEDIUM, MEDIUM ON WHICH IMAGE FILE CREATING  
PROGRAM IS RECORDED, DEVICE FOR TRANSMITTING IMAGE  
FILE, DEVICE FOR PROCESSING IMAGE FILE, AND MEDIUM  
ON WHICH IMAGE FILE PROCESSING PROGRAM IS RECORDED  
Examiner : ZHOU, Ting  
Art Unit : 2173  
Confirm. No. : 1281

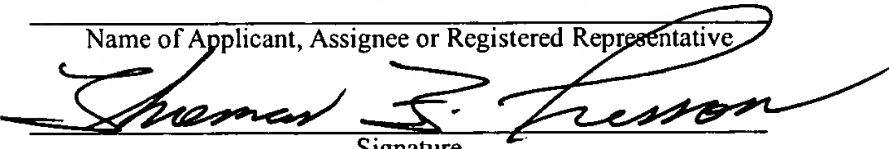
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Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**, on May 2,  
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Signature

May 2, 2006

Date of Signature

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121 SUBMITTED  
WITH A PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 6, 2006, Applicants hereby

petition for a one-month extension-of-time, thereby extending the period for response to May 8,

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2006 (May 6, 2006 being a Saturday). Applicants are submitting herewith a check in the amount of \$120.00 as payment of the extension-of-time-fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.